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PETITION TO WITHDRAW FROM NOTICE OF APPEAL

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Sir:

This petition is filed in response to the Office Action dated June 17, 2002. It is requested that the above-identified application be withdrawn from the Notice of Appeal, filed on December 17, 2002, thereby vacating the Appeal Brief due date of February 17, 2003, and facilitating the concurrent filing herewith of the enclosed Request For Continuing Examination, Amendment, and Remarks.

It is believed that a petition fee is not required in this case. However, if such a fee is deemed to be required, the U.S. Patent Office is authorized to charge Merchant & Gould Deposit Account No. 13-2725.

If a telephone conference would be helpful in resolving any issues concerning this communication, please contact Applicant's attorney-of record, Rebecca A. Bortolotti, (Reg. No. 51,488), at (612) 766-6045.

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